



Lewis & Harris Auction Mart

Stornoway - Isle of Lewis

SALE REPORT

THURSDAY 15th OCTOBER 2015

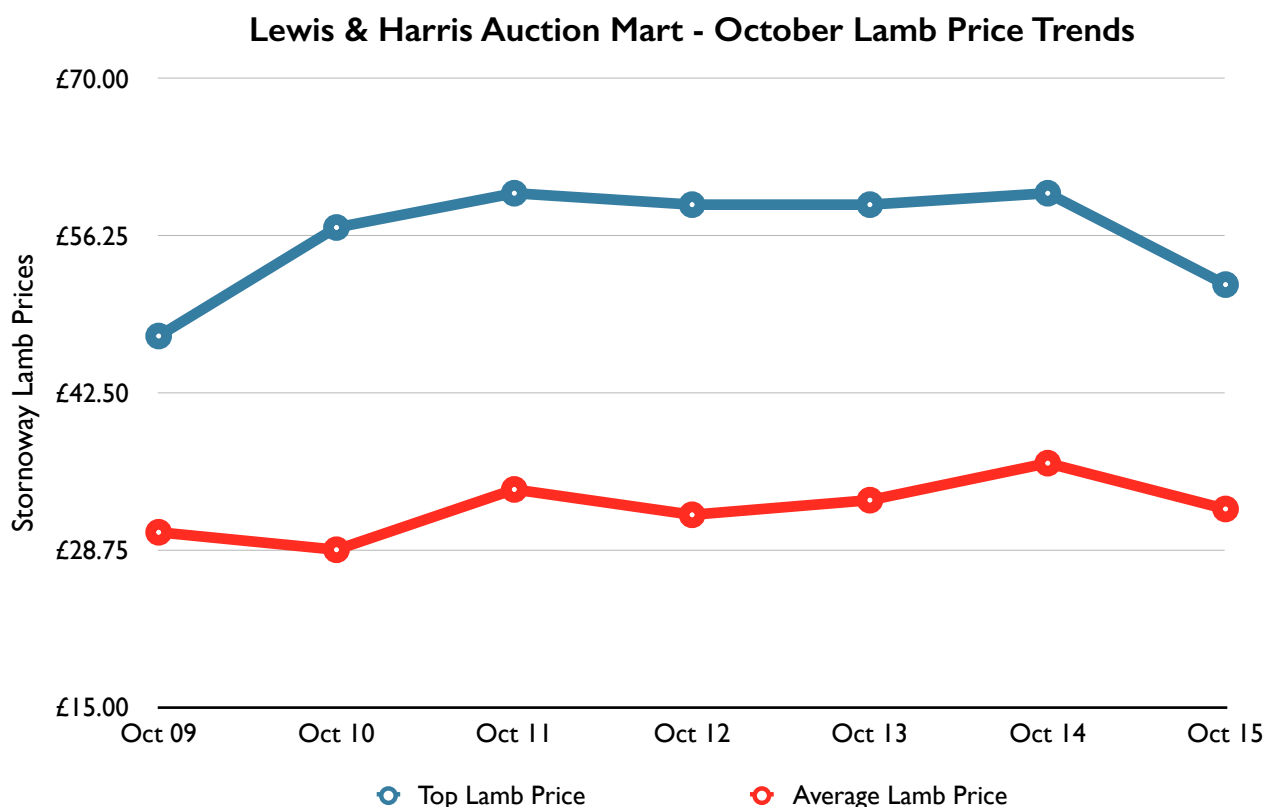
• INTRODUCTION

Lewis and Harris Auction Mart in Stornoway held their fifth sale of the 2015 season on Thursday 15th October.

The sale, held in conjunction with Dingwall & Highland Marts Ltd., saw the auction of 630 store lambs, 868 breeding ewes, 68 glimmers and 135 other classes of sheep. A strong show of lambs and sheep saw good demand with prices having shown more stability recently. Prices saw a drop from last October's six-year high for this sale and a fall not he prices seen at the September sale this year.

The top lamb price was £52.00 for suffolk crosses from Maclean, 13 Cross Skigersta. Breeding ewes reached £80.00 for cheviots from M Maclean, 18 Leurbost. Glimmers peaked at £74.00 for telex crosses from JM Morrison, 1 Habost, Ness and other classes of sheep classes reached £55.00 for for a blackface ram from M Macleod, 16 Uigen.

• SALE COMPARISON AND TRENDS



- **Historic Sale Prices**

Year	Lambs Sold	Top Lamb Price	Avg Lamb Price	Gimmers Sold	Top Gimmer Price	Avg Gimmer Price	Sheep Sold	Top Sheep Price
Oct '15	630	£52.00	£32.36	68	£74.00	£45.09	1003	£80.00
Oct '14	565	£60.00	£36.37	54	£84.00	<i>No data</i>	710	£85.00
Oct '13	1213	£59.00	£33.13	82	£80.00	£51.04	1091	£70.00
Oct '12	950	£59.00	£31.85	124	£64.00	£49.65	790	£100
Oct '11	877	£60.00	£34.07	80	£88.00	£61.15	955	£138.00
Oct '10	1311	£57.00	£28.79	21	£70.00	<i>No data</i>	1099	£71.00
Oct '09	1599	£47.50	£30.32	35	£68.00	<i>No data</i>	810	£56.00

- **LEADING LAMB PRICES (630 Sold):**

£52.00 for suffolk crosses from Maclean, 13 Cross Skigersta
 £51.00 for a cheviot from Macdonald, 7 Aird, Point
 £50.00 for blackfaces from Morrison, 17 Habost, Ness
 £50.00 for cheviots from Mackay, 7 School Park, Knock
 £49.00 for cheviots from Macfarlane, 28 South Dell
 £49.00 for cheviots texel crosses from Clark, 10 North Dell
 £49.00 for crosses from Mackay 26 Lower Bayble
 £49.00 for texel crosses from Macleod, Dalmore
 £48.00 for suffolk crosses from Maclean, 13 Cross Skigersta
 £47.00 for texel crosses from Nicolson, 1 Cameron Terrace
 £47.00 for blackfaces from Morrison, 17 Habost, Ness
 £45.00 for a cross from Maclellan, 16 Shulishader
 £45.00 for crosses from Macdonald, 3 Ardhasaig
 £44.50 for crosses from Macdonald, 35 Crossbost
 £44.50 for texel crosses from Macleod, 20 Habost, Ness
 £43.50 for crosses from Macleod, 24 Ranish
 £43.00 for crosses from Macleod, 10 Kershader
 £42.00 for cheviots from Anderson, Kintarvie, Lochs
 £41.00 for blackfaces from Thomson, 40 Cross Skigersta
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 £41.00 for crosses from Macsween, 20B North Dell

- **LEADING GIMMER PRICES (68 Sold)**

£74.00 for texel crosses from Morrison, 1 Habost, Ness
£65.00 for blackfaces from Maclean, 26 New Sheilings
£65.00 for cheviots from Murray, 10 Sand Street
£52.00 for cheviots from MacLennan, Cliff House, Laxly
£52.00 for blackfaces from Fraser, Grosebay
£50.00 for blackfaces from Graham, 22 Lower Barvas
£50.00 for blackfaces from Macleod, 7 Garyvard
£45.00 for texels from Mackenzie, 7A Keose
£40.00 for texel crosses from Maciver, 2A Back
£35.00 for texels from Mackenzie, 7A Keose
£34.00 for texel crosses from Maciver, 2A Back
£32.00 for cheviots from Macleod, 9 Doune, Carloway
£31.00 for cheviots from Macritchie, 8 Macdonald Gardens
£30.00 for cheviots from Macdonald, Burnside Cottage
£28.00 for a texel cross from Murray, 10 Sand Street
£10.00 for a blackface from Macaskill, 19 Steinish

- **LEADING BREEDING EWE PRICES (868 sold)**

£80.00 for cheviots from Maclean, 18 Leurbost
£78.00 for cheviots from Macdonald, 7 Aird, Point
£76.00 for cheviots from Maclean, 18 Leurbost
£61.00 for blackfaces from Mackay, 50 Garrabost
£58.00 for blackfaces from Mackay, 50 Garrabost
£54.00 for texel crosses from Macdonald, 11 New Shawbost
£54.00 for suffolks from Nicolson, 20 Ranish
£50.00 for cheviots from Maclean, 18 Leurbost
£50.00 for cheviots from Matheson, 30 Gravir
£50.00 for blackfaces from Nicolson, 20 Ranish
£50.00 for blackfaces from Macleod, 69 North Shawbost
£50.00 for blackfaces from Maclean, 26 New Sheilings
£50.00 for blackfaces from Macleod, 13 Crowlista
£50.00 for a texel cross from Morrison, 1 Habost, Ness
£48.00 for texel crosses from Mackenzie, 7A Keose
£48.00 for cheviots from Thomson, 7A Garrabost
£48.00 for cheviots from Mackenzie, 2B Leurbost

- **LEADING PRICES - OTHER CLASSES (135 sold)**

£55.00 for a blackface ram from Macleod, 16 Uigen
£50.00 for a blackface ram from Montgomery, 11 Garyvard
£44.00 for cheviot wedders from Murray, 10 Sand Street
£44.00 for blackface wedders from Ferguson, 12 Laxay
£42.00 for blackface wedders from Murray, 10 Sand Street
£42.00 for blackface wedders from Maclean, 26 New Sheilings
£41.00 for cross wedders from Mackinnon, 7 Balallan
£41.00 for blackface wedders from Gillies, Leacklee
£40.00 for blackface wedders from Duncan, Stoneyfield Cottage

£40.00 for a suffolk cross ram from Morrison, 46 North Shawbost
£40.00 for blackface wedders from Campbell, I Scadabay

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